

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re application of |) | |
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| ANNE BOER and |) | |
| FRANCISCUS J. M. SCHRAUWEN |) | Confirmation No. 4517 |
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| Serial No. 10/591,781 |) | Group Art Unit: 1797 |
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| Filed September 6, 2006 |) | Examiner: Jennifer A. Leung |
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| FILTER SYSTEM WITH FILTER MEANS |) | January 29, 2009 |
| RETRACTABLE INTO A HOUSING |) | |
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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated October 29, 2008 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-8 and 12. The rejection of each of these claims is herewith appealed.

Please charge the fee of \$540.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-1800, Shell Oil Company. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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